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IN THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BEFORE THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Williams, Roger C.)
Serial No: 09/842,386) Group No.:2833
Filed: 04/25/2001) Examiner:Ta, Tho Dac
For: Rigid Support Ring Molded Into Elastomeric Connector Lip

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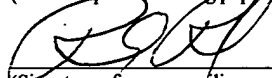
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136 (A))

1. This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Letter mailed August 29, 2003 for a period of one month.
2. Applicant is a large entity.
3. Extension Time: One month; Fee for Large Entity: \$110.00
4. A 14 page amendment filed herewith.
5. Fee payment. Check number 6285 in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed payable to the Commissioner for Patents.

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